NLRB Rules Miner Union Forfeits T-H Privileges

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 2—The National Labor Relations Board ruled Wednesday that the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers had failed to comply with the non-Communist affidavit of the Taft-Hartly Act and as a result has forfeited the rights and privileges extended by the act.

This means that the left-wing mine-mill union has been disqualified from bringing cases to the NLRB, participating in representation elections or making valid union-shop agreements.

THIS DRASTIC action followed findings by the board that Maurice E. Travis, secretary-treasurer of the union, had falsely signed a non-Communist affidavit and that the members of the union were fully aware of his action.

The decision of the board's four members was unanimous. Two members of the board, Abe Murdock and Philip Ray Rodgers, are former Utahns.

Under the Taft-Hartley Act, each officer of a union is required to sign an affidavit in order to qualify the union to obtain the benefits of the law. The affidavit must state that the union official is not a Communist and does not believe in or support any organization that believes in or teaches the overthrow of the U.S. government by force or by any illegal or unconstitutional methods."

THE BOARD FOUND that Mr. Travis, in an article published in the union's magazine, had boasted, after he had signed the affidavit, that he had not changed his views. Regarding the article, the boards ruling said:

"Not only is the article wholly barren of any statement or expression indicating conscious abandonment of previously held Communist beliefs, but on the contrary it represents a sincerely and briefly articulated panegyric to what Travis believes to be the meaning of communism and the role of a Communist adherent within the labor movement."

The board further held that the mere publication and distribution of the newspaper article established awareness on the part of the union membership of the falseness of the affidavit.

Nevertheless, Mr. Travis was not deprived of his position with the union. Instead, he was repeatedly re-elected, the board noted.

"The union members," said the decision, "have permitted their union to be used by one whose admitted sympathies and actions have been found to be dedicated to the principles of communism and completely inimicable to our national security."

Ike Bids Watkins To Prayer Meet

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 2—Sen. Arthur V. Watkins (R-Utah) has been invited to meet with President Dwight D. Eisenhower and his cabinet for their third annual prayer breakfast which will be held Thursday at the Mayflower Hotel.

The breakfast is under the sponsorship of the International Council for Christian Leadership. The council's president is Sen. Frank Carlson (R-Kan).

Grin and Bear It — By Lichty

IS GIVEN HERO AWARD FOR BEST COMPOSITION DENOUNCING SOMEBODY
IS GLORIOUS RALLY LEADER WITH MAGIC CLUB
IS GLAD IS CAPITALIST BEAST
LIFE OF HERO IS SHORT ONE
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". . . Is stopping telling comrade kiddies about shortage of teachers in U.S. comrade teacher . . . is only encouraging them to slip over border . . ."

WASHINGTON BUREAU BRIEFS

Utah Soldier Wins Honor, Three-Day Capital Stay

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 2 — A Utah youth, named "Soldier of the Month" at the Aberdeen Proving Ground in Maryland, was scheduled to arrive here Wednesday night for a three-day stay as a guest of the armed services.

He is Pvt. William J. Toole of Salt Lake City who is with the hospital detachment at the Army's big ordnance installation.

When asked what he would like to do while in Washington, the soldier expressed a desire to meet Sen. Arthur V. Watkins (R-Utah). As a result, he is going to be Sen. Watkins' luncheon guest on Capitol Hill Thursday.

To Close Office

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2 — Rep. William A. Dawson (R-Utah) was advised Wednesday that the post office at Delle, Tooele County, will be closed down Feb. 28. The Utahn had recommended its discontinuance since the post office serves only eight families.

Ute Name List

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2 — The names of all full blood and mixed blood members of the Ute Indian Tribe of the Uintah-Ouray Reservation were published in the federal register Wednesday.

Sen. Arthur V. Watkins (R-Utah) explained this was a necessary step in carrying out legislation passed for the Utes last year. This clears the way for division of the assets of the tribe and for the mixed bloods to decide whether to hold their share in corporate ownership or divide it on a per capita basis.

Services Pay Hero Honor

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2 (UP) — Ira H. Hayes, tragic Indian hero of the Iwo Jima flag raising, was buried on a snow-covered hill in Arlington National Cemetery Wednesday near the massive war memorial commemorating his hour of glory.

Interior Secretary Douglas McKay was among those paying homage to the 32-year-old Pima Indian who spent 23 months in the Pacific in World War II, but found the problems of postwar civilian life too much to face.

Hayes died from excessive drinking and overexposure in freezing weather near his home on the Indian reservation at Bapchule, Arizona.

Hayes made history with four Marine buddies and a Navy man when they planted the American flag atop Mount Suribachi 10 years ago this month. He was buried not far from the giant Iwo Jima Memorial immortalizing the scene caught by photographer Joe Rosenthal.

House Given 2 More River Project Bills

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costs for irrigation and power facilities. It provides that irrigation construction costs shall be payable without interest in equal annual installments within a 50-year period.

Furthermore, construction costs for power facilities shall be repayable with interest within a period of years not exceeding the expected economic life of the project but not to exceed 100 years.

"THIS FORMULA brings irrigation procedures within presently established policy and power repayment procedures within recognized and accepted business policy," said Rep. Aspinall.

The measures also contain what Rep. Aspinall described as a guarantee to each state of a construction program of participating upstream reservoirs that would make possible the beneficial consumptive use within its borders of the water to which it is entitled.

"THIS PROVISION," he said, "takes care of, in a general approach, the program recently proposed by Gov. Edwin C. Johnson of Colorado and is incorporated specifically in the legislation proffered by the Upper Colorado River Commission wherein they ask for the inclusion in current legislation of 20 additional participating projects."

Another important development on the Upper Colorado program was the featuring by Collier's Magazine of an article purporting to give both sides to the Echo Park Dam controversy.

"Echo Dam is essential," writes Sen. Joseph C. O'Mahoney (D-Wyo) in support of the proposed dam on the Colorado-Utah border.

"There can be no further important agricultural development in the upper basin unless we can have the use of water that now pours wastefully into the sea.

"Industrial expansion is stymied. Population is held down. The amount of water will determine our growth and to get the maximum amount, Echo Dam is essential."

THE OPPOSITION case is presented by Maj. Gen. Ulysses S. Grant III, retired. He says: "If the American people allow Echo Park Dam to be built it could lead to the destruction of all those stretches of natural beauty set aside for us and our descendants to enjoy as national parks or monuments—just as surely as Troy was destroyed after it allowed another man-made structure within its gates."

Gen. Grant still contends alternatives exist to Echo Park, but insinuates that from the hasty manner in which they have been rejected by the Department of Interior "it's almost as though the proponents don't want to find alternatives."

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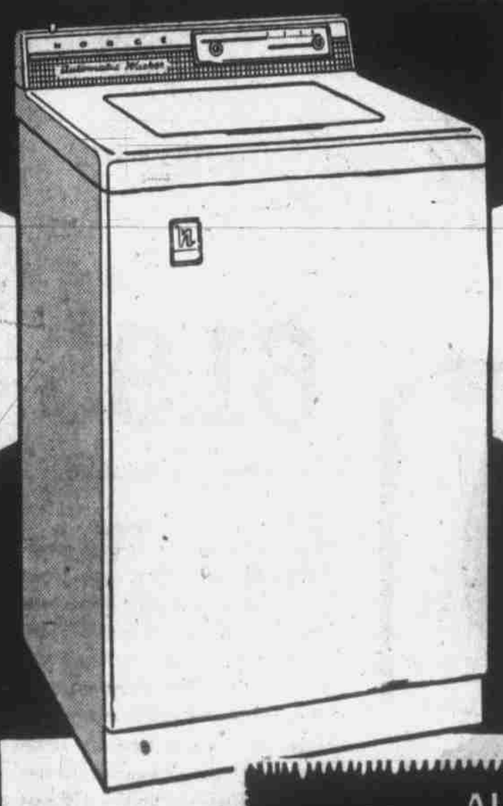

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